

# Movement On Foot To Have Congress Construct Canal To Connect Winchester With Kentucky River

**\$350,000 Will Build Water Way For  
City and Reduce Transportation  
Charges 50 Per Cent—Kentucky  
Congressmen Favor Measure.**

Winchester has always been noted for doing things in the "Winchester way," i. e., of accomplishing results by quiet, earnest effort and without any "blowing of horns" in advance. This latter remark doesn't, of course, apply to the baseball fans nor to a few individual "bazoo blowers."

The very latest and one of the greatest of these efforts for the future of "Greater Winchester" has been going on for weeks and so quietly that only a very few outside of The News' people and the engineers (and even their identity has been kept secret owing to their official position) makes a scoop.

The News has as usual made a "scoop" on the details of the great enterprise that means so much for the future growth and prosperity of the city of Winchester and the county of Clark. The News today gives a few of the details for the first time to its thousands of readers.

In brief, Winchester is now the premier city of the fourth-class in the State in wealth and population. It is also the "Gateway City" of Eastern Kentucky, and it is railway center. Freight rates in consequence are lower than any city similarly situated in the South.

#### Other Advantages Sought.

Many of our enterprising citizens, however, have for some time felt that still further advantages in this line should be accorded to us. In furtherance of this idea, it was decided some weeks ago at a little meeting of a few of those who "make things happen" when they get their heads together to discuss ways and means for adding to the future glory and greatness of the "Gateway City," and the grand county of Clark, that additional transportation facilities were absolutely necessary as well as additional water advantages.

It is well known that Kentucky River sweeps along the southern shores of the county for about 25 miles and it is also known that it has been locked and dammed from its mouth to the Lee and Estill line, and that another year will see the completion of this great system to the Three Forks of the river in Lee county and up these forks for many miles, thus opening up practically inexhaustable areas of coal and timber. It also enables steam boats to ply the year round from Louisville, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New Orleans, Memphis and Pittsburg to the southern borders of the county.

#### Mean Much to City.

To have these great natural arteries of transportation reach Winchester, would mean that Winchester would quickly jump to the position of being the third or fourth city in the State and leave Lexington and other outlying suburbs so far in the rear that they could not catch Winchester even with an up-to-date moving picture machine.

To enable Winchester to do this, a lock canal from Kentucky River to the southern suburbs of the city should be constructed. Three feasible routes presented themselves for consideration and a quiet reconnaissance was requested by engineers of experience and all three routes were pronounced practicable.

#### Liberality of Land Owners.

The liberality of the land owners along the different lines should determine the location as the cost will be about the same in each case and it goes without saying that land values along the lucky line will be greatly enhanced, so much so, in fact, that each owner would be justified in donating this right of way.

#### Splendid Possibilities.

That this bill which is fraught with such splendid possibilities for the good



CHIEF CRAZY SNAKE, WHO LED CREEK INDIAN BAND TO WARPATH IN OKLAHOMA.

Chief Crazy Snake, leader of the band of full blood Creek Indians that took the warpath in Oklahoma and fought the sheriffs of several counties and the state militia, has given the authorities trouble for years. Ten years ago he went on the warpath and was captured after a hard chase by a detachment of United States cavalry. He never became reconciled to the dissolution of tribal government, he and his followers maintaining that the United States had not kept faith with the Creeks in regard to tribal government and the allotment of lands. Crazy Snake, who is otherwise known as Wilson Jones, is fifty-eight years old. His grandfather was a chief and a party to the treaty with the United States in 1832 in which the Creeks were invested with tribal rights in what was then the Indian Territory.

## BREAKS INTO STORE AND SAFE

Burglars Steal From Roe, Winans  
and Scott Wednesday  
Night.

The store room of Roe, Winans and Scott was entered by burglars Wednesday night and about \$6 in cash and a check for \$1.60 was taken from the safe.

The burglars entered the building by unlocking the front door. They also worked the combination of the safe and prised the cash drawer open and it is thought by the authorities that some one who is well acquainted with the place, did the job.

Sec. 3. The county of Clark shall exempt said canal from all county district and school taxes and jurisdiction over said canal shall be ceded to the United States Government.

Sec. 4. Surveys for the location of said canal shall be completed and work begun on said canal on or before April 1st, 1910.

Sec. 5. If any land owner shall refuse to donate the right of way, the city and county authorities may condemn enough land for such purposes as provided by law and at the expense of said city and county.

Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

#### Splendid Possibilities.

That this bill which is fraught with such splendid possibilities for the good

of the city and reduce transportation charges 50 per cent—Kentucky Congressmen favor measure.

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## IS TO RESIGN

General Smith to Leave Philippines  
For San Francisco to  
Practice Law.

Special to The News.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—Governor-General Smith, of the Philippines, will resign and sail for this city May 15th to resume the practice of the law.

## COMMERCIAL CLUB PLANNING IMPORTANT BUSINESS MOVES

Membership Committee Working For Diamond Pin and Adding Many  
Members to the Club.

The Canvassing Committee of the Commercial Club is meeting with great success but there are yet many good citizens who have not joined.

The club is doing great work for the city and they should be encouraged by rounding up at least four hundred members.

The Railroad Committee met

Thursday morning and decided to

take action in regard to the L. & E.

depot. If they cannot get the officials

to begin their new building they will

appeal to the Railroad Commission,

as the club feels that the present

shanty-boat, which is called a depot,

for lack of a better name, is not such

a building as Winchester has the

right to demand.

The Entertainment Committee has

decided to give an opening session

of the club at the opera house the

latter part of this month, when a full

report of the workings of the club will

be made. Distinguished speakers

from home and abroad will take part.

The Committee has not yet per-

fected their plans but they will get up

a most enjoyable entertainment which

will be free to all and ladies will be

especially invited to attend.

## CHIEF YOEMAN NOW AT HOME

Mr. Ernest Paynter Visiting His Relatives After Naval Cruise  
Around World.

Mr. Ernest Paynter, of the United

States Navy is here on a visit to his

mother on Winn avenue, and to his

brother, Harry, Superintendent of the

Mountain Central Railroad.

Mr. Paynter has served nearly eight year

in the navy and occupies the position

of Chief Yoeman on the battleship Rhode Island.

He was on the cruise around the world.

When asked what he considered

the most interesting country visited,

he answered, "Japan" and the two

most interesting cities, Yokohama and

Tokio, Japan.

Mr. Paynter is a graduate of the

Winchester High School and has at

all times been very popular. He

thinks that there is no place like Win-

chester and expects to return here

at the expiration of his term of en-

listment which will be in about eight

months.

## BIG LAND SUIT IS FINALLY COMPROMISED FOR \$30,000

Col. H. P. Thomson Secures Settlement With Harmon in Controversy  
Over Sale of Old Ballard Farm Property Made in 1890.

In 1890 Col. H. P. Thomson was the owner of the Ballard farm. The old farm house was near Boone avenue and what is now South Maple street. The farm was south of the residence, and extended on the Boonesboro road for nearly a mile, the south part extending through to the Two Mile road, now known as South Main street.

On this property is now located the best residences in the city. At the extreme south end the Fair grounds are located. In February, 1890, Col. Thomson sold to Harmon and Talbott a two-third interest in the property at the rate of \$600 per acre.

#### This Was Beginning of Boom.

This was the beginning of the Winchester boom. Streets were laid out and some lots sold. When the bottom fell out of the boom Harmon and Talbott refused or failed to make good.

In 1891 Col. Thompson filed suit and got judgment for \$35,000, but was unable to collect. Harmon went to London, England, where he became prominent as a promoter. Among other things promoted by him was a railroad in Ecuador that he carried through to completion.

#### Carried Case to England.

Col. Thompson carried his ease to London where he secured judgment against Harmon. Talbott having taken the bankrupt law. Recently Col. Thompson with attorney D. L. Pendleton went to New York and through attorney D. W. Armstrong, and a banker—E. Hope Norton, who represented Harmon, a compromise was effected for the sum of \$30,000, which has been paid.

Judge J. M. Benon before he became Circuit Judge was attorney for Col. Thomson and later Pendleton, Bush and Bush represented him.

The property over which the controversy arose with the improvements is now worth nearly a million dollars.

## BARK BLOWS UP AND KILLS 12

French Oil Tank Boat From Philadelphia Explodes at  
Marseilles.

Special to The News.

MARSEILLES, France, April 1.—The French tank bark, Jules Henry, from Philadelphia, in the oil trade, blew up and was totally wrecked. Twelve of the crew were killed and many injured.

#### TO PREACH AT THE PROVIDENCE BAPTIST

Rev. B. J. Davis, the Regular Pastor,  
to Speak Sunday.

Rev. B. J. Davis, the regular pastor, will preach at the Providence Baptist church Sunday morning. It is his purpose to preach a sermon that will be of great benefit to the members and he desires a full attendance.

## INDIANS IN REVOLT

Mexican Tax Collectors Killed When  
Property Is Confiscated.

El Paso, Tex., April 1.—Rebellious

at the attempt of the authorities to collect taxes and confiscate property.

The Temosachic Indians in the state of Chihuahua broke into open warfare, killing several officials, terrorizing the town of San Andreas and cutting the telegraph wires.

The Indians then sent out a general call for reinforcements to resist the enforcement of taxes and the confiscation of property. Two trainloads

of troops have been sent from Chihuahua to quell the rebellion.

#### King Offers to Sell Throne.

London, April 1.—Circumstantial reports continue to emanate from Vienna concerning the probable fall of the Servian dynasty. It is alleged

that King Peter has informed the British minister at Belgrade of his intention to abdicate if he is guaranteed a yearly allowance of \$50,000. At the British foreign office it was stated

that nothing is known of such a proposition.

## YOU WILL FIND THAT THE ADS. THAT APPEAL TO YOU MOST ARE OF THE STORES THAT WILL APPEAL TO YOU MOST.

ARE YOU A "JUDGE OF AD-  
VERTISING?"—OF THE  
INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE  
TO YOU OF ADVERTISE-  
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**Reading Notices—Per Line.**

Business notices, body type.....	7 1/2¢
pure reading, news headings.....	15¢

**Both 'Phones No. 91.****THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1909.****THE HOME PAPER:**

"A paper in the home is worth a thousand on the highway," is a quotation from the millionaire merchant, Marshall Field, who was one of the most successful business men of the country. He believed an advertisement in a paper which reached the local homes was ten times more valuable than an advertisement placed in hundreds of newspapers that sold on the highways or over the counters of news agents' stands. The News goes into nearly every home in Winchester. Eight carriers leave the office every afternoon, delivering The News into the homes of the Winchester people. The press room and circulation books are open to the public. Any advertiser is at liberty to call at The News' office any afternoon and watch the circulation manager start the carriers. We want no doubt Thomas'—come see for yourself that The News has the largest circulation in the city of Winchester of any paper published.

Merchants cannot go astray if they follow Marshal Field's advice—and The News is the home paper of Winchester.

**IT IS NATIONALITY.**

Meditating upon the things he had seen and heard in America, Ferrero, the Italian historian, summed up the liveliest of his impressions in the one word "uniformity."

Where is the difference between New York and Chicago in comparison with that which differentiates Paris from Rome, Vienna from St. Petersburg, Berlin from Moscow, Madrid from Copenhagen? Where is the difference between Massachusetts and Virginia, between Illinois and New York, if they be compared with the differences which are found in Europe between State and State, between France and Spain, between Germany and France?"

In that which Ferrero calls uniformly Americans will recognize nationality. It is one of the brightest jewels in the diadem of the Republic. Against its local prejudices, domestic institutions, narrow and ignorant provincialism, the wiles of demagogues, even the terrors of war, have been exerted in vain.

The framework of the greatest nationality in the world was here from the beginning, and in spite of some drawbacks time has served only to fill it out and make it more impressive. Where there is essential uniformity there must be cohesion and peace and progress.

**TRY A NEWS' WANT ADVERTISEMENT.****RACE WAR BREAKS OUT**

Whites Dynamite Negro Quarters of Arkansas Village.

Little Rock, Ark., April 1.—Trouble between the white and negro employees of the H. Alfrey heading factory at Hope, Ark., it is claimed, resulted in the dynamiting of a cabin in the negro quarters, killing one negro and fatally injuring another.

The white people, it is said, are making an effort to rid the town of the negro laborers, and further trouble is expected. Reports reached here that the heading factory had been blown up and Governor Donaghay offered a reward for the capture of the miscreants.

**Editor Mack Retires.**

Sandusky, O., April 1.—Isaac Foster Mack retired today as editor-in-chief of the Sandusky Daily Register after 40 years of continuous service in this capacity. The Register Publishing company, incorporated, succeeds the firm of I. F. Mack & Brother. John T. Mack, brother of Isaac Foster Mack and president of the Associated Ohio Dailies, assumes editorial and business management.

**QUARTERLY REPORT****OF THE PEOPLES STATE BANK,**

At the Close of business on the 31st Day of March, 1909.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts....\$203,917.56  
Overdrafts, unsecured....5,499.81  
Due from national banks....\$254,987.04  
Due from State banks....230.50  
.....\$255,217.54

**Specie.....**

\$ 6,060.49

**Currency.....**

24,301.00

**.....\$ 30,361.49****Other items carried as**

cash.....\$ 955.61

**Furniture and fixtures.....**

5,000.00

**Current ex-**

penses last

**quarter.....\$ 1,090.58****.....\$ 1,090.58****LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in, in

**cash.....\$ 100,000.00**

Individued profits.....14,396.48

**Deposits sub-**

ject to check

**(on which**

interest is

**not paid).....\$ 383,389.36****Deposits sub-**

ject to check

**(on which**

interest is

**paid).....\$ 3,000.00****.....\$ 386,389.36****Due national**

banks.....\$ 306.92

**.....\$ 306.92****Fund to pay taxes.....\$ 949.83****.....\$ 502,042.59**

State of Kentucky, County of Clark,

**:**

J. M. Hodgkin, Cashier of People's State Bank, a bank organized May 31, 1905, located and doing business at No. 102 Main street, in the city of Winchester, in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank, at the close of business on the 31st day of March, 1909, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; that no branch banks are being conducted by said bank, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating 31st day of March, 1909, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. M. Hodgkin the 31st day of March, 1909.

J. Newt Renaker, Notary Public. My Commission expires January 20, 1912.

**The British Press.**

Not a little world wisdom lies in the conduct of the British press. Its managers do not let their instincts for news run away with their appreciation of how things said in heat lead in cold print to the world abroad. They do not furnish arrows for the quivers of their foreign critics.—Boston Transcript.

**Subscribe For The News.****Beauty at the Breakfast Table.**

To look her best a woman should rise slowly, dress by degrees, make her toilet as if time were at a standstill, and stroll down to the first meal of the day without the slightest trace of having hurried or of being in a hurry, either for refreshment or news. Women who follow this plan are always those who are most admired, but from the hostess' point of view it is not to be recommended.—Ladies' Pictorial.

**WAR INEVITABLE**

Five Central American Republics  
Weary of Peaceful Relations.

Mexico City, April 1.—Rumors of an impending general war in Central America are again current in this capital and despite denials from the five little republics it is generally believed in well informed circles that the clash can not be averted. A cable received here says Guatemala has moved a large force of infantry, artillery and cavalry to the Honduras border. The Honduran minister has demanded an explanation of this apparently hostile act and has been informed by President Cabrera that the troops are being rushed eastward to check the culmination of the revolutionary plot hatched by Honduran forces on Guatemalan territory, having for its purpose the overthrow of President Davila of Honduras. This version is little credited here. It is believed that Cabrera is preparing to check an invasion and that the long expected and often heralded clash between Cabrera and Zelaya is about to occur.

**Ten Hurt in Wreck.**

Springfield, Mo., April 1.—Ten persons were injured when Frisco passenger train No. 9 left the track at Ritchie, Mo. J. N. Purham, Montier, Ind., and Mrs. Maggie Bechtel and daughter of Womelsdorf, Pa., were among those hurt.

**PREMATURE BLAST BURIES FIVE MEN****West Virginia Mine Scene of Disaster.****Charleston, W. Va., April 1.—**

Five men were entombed in the Echo mine of the Beury Coal and Coke company at Beury, Fayette county, as the result of an explosion. Two others were taken out shortly after the explosion slightly injured. The entombed men are Samuel Melhorn and brother, Charles Jones, Andrew Sydenstricker and — Smith. Injured: George Lynch and his son, Orville Lynch.

The men are entombed nearly a mile from the entry of the mine, within a few feet of the scene of the explosion, and all are thought to be dead.

Mine officials are unable to account for the explosion, as the mine is not gaseous and has shown very little dust. The only theory advanced is that of premature blast.

A rescuing party of 20, headed by State Mine Inspector Laing, is trying to reach the entombed miners.

**CELEBRATE THEIR VICTORY****San Francisco Gives Banquet For Conqueror of Plague.**

San Francisco, April 1.—San Francisco celebrated officially the close of its campaign against bubonic plague by giving public dinner to Dr. Rupert Blue of the United States marine hospital service and his corps of executive officers. Four hundred citizens gathered in the big ballroom of the Fairmount hotel as an expression of their appreciation of the work done by Dr. Blue and his assistants.

At the close of the dinner Mayor Taylor, on behalf of the citizens of San Francisco, presented Dr. Blue with a handsome gold watch.

**Mrs. Boyle Arraigned.**

Mercer, Pa., April 1.—Mrs. James Boyle, when arraigned before Justice McClain, waived hearing on a kidnapping charge and was held to the grand jury, bond being fixed in the sum of \$25,000. In default of bail she was remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

**Castro Is Foxy****Refuses to Accept Invitation to Land on Home Soil.**

Bordeaux, April 1.—It is reported here that when Cipriano Castro was informed at Santander that the Venezuelan government would permit him to land in the republic, he told the captain of the Guadeloupe, on board of which steamer he is returning to the West Indies, that he would carry out his original plan of going on to Colon and await developments there.

**Tough on Poor Firemen.**

Cleveland, O., April 1.—Should a fireman marry? Judge Babcock said he shouldn't in an opinion in the divorce suit of Myrtle Morbach against her husband, Julius, of Engine House No. 3. "No fireman can marry and expect to be the protector of his home," said Babcock. "When a fireman joins the department he goes to live away from home."

**To Abolish Trading Stamps.**

St. Paul, Minn., April 1.—The house of the Minnesota legislature passed the senate bill prohibiting the giving or trading stamps under restrictions that will practically prevent the carrying on of the trading stamp business. The bill provides that each trading stamp must have a face value and be immediately redeemable.

**May Debate With Rose.**

Peoria, Ill., April 1.—The possibility of a debate on "prohibition" between Dan R. Sheehan of this city and Mayor Rose of Milwaukee is now a probability, according to a statement made by the former. The event will probably take place in the coliseum during the latter part of April.

**CASSIDY NOMINATED****Both Parties Select Congressional Candidates at Cleveland.**

Cleveland, O., April 1.—James H. Cassidy was nominated out of a field of four as Republican candidate for congressman from the Twenty-first or Cleveland district. Matt B. Excell, Democrat, was nominated without opposition.

The vote for the Republican candidates was as follows: James H. Cassidy, 5,862; Fred L. Taft, 3,998; James W. Holcomb, 2,048; Major Charles R. Miller, 820. Excell polled 1,189 votes.

The election was a special one caused by the resignation of former Congressman Theodore Burton, who was recently chosen a United States senator from Ohio. The selection of Cassidy was sanctioned by Senator Burton.

**Plans Long Balloon Trip.**

Chicago, April 1.—C. A. Coey, a local balloonist, announced that next September he would carry a message in a balloon from Los Angeles, Cal., to President Taft in Washington. He intends to follow an air current 15,000 feet up.

**AMERICAN VS. BULGARIAN**

Joe Rogers to Meet Yussif Mahmut on Mat in Cleveland, O.

Cleveland, O., April 1.—Two of the world's best and biggest wrestlers will meet tonight in this city. They are Yussif Mahmut, the Bulgarian, who has been taking falls out of some of the best American grapplers, and Joe Rogers, the American, whom Frank Gatch, champion of the world, failed to defeat in a handicap match. Rogers lost to Hackenschmidt in Europe.

Rogers says he gained a clean fall from Mahmut in practice in a New York gymnasium and has been chasing the Bulgarian for some time. There is considerable bad feeling between the two men, and their match should be fast and furious.

**Dry Vote Grows.**

Springfield, O., April 1.—Suspense in regard to the result of the wet and

# CLIFTON B. ROSS

will put on sale this week a big line of Dry Goods, in Silks, Wash Goods, Dress Goods, Kid Gloves and Notions. Come and see the new up-to-the-minute styles,

## Silk Department.

Ask to see the new Salome Silk, the Rajah, the Indro, Shantung and the Shah. Beautiful line Foulard Silk 49c up; Seco Silk, dotted and plain in all shades. Chelsea Silks in bordered styles, white grounds with fancy figures. Arnold Spangle Silks, in fact all the new things out are here. Come and see them.

## Dress Goods.

All the new things in Satin Finish Dress goods; just the thing for a spring dress. All shades in fancy stripes and solid colors. White ground Suitings in Serge and Batiste, with black stripes. Beautiful Broadcloth and Tailor Suitings. Beautiful line Mohairs, solid and fancy are all the rage.

## New Neckwear.

Jabots, Dutch Collars, Stocks, Irish Crochet Bows, Lace Bows and Ruchings.

## Gloves.

In Silk, Chamois and Kid Gloves, all shades and all prices. Perrin is the best Kid Glove made. We are sole agents for them.

## Towels, Napkins and Table Linens.

Special sale in Towels, Napkins and Table Linens this week.

## Hosiery.

KNO-TAIR, guaranteed for six months, black, tan and light shades. \$2.00 and \$3.00 per one-half dozen. This is the best silk lisle hose made for 50c. CADET HOSE for ladies, misses and especially guaranteed, for children very elastic, never binds leg, knee very strong and durable, rip proof and rub proof, no seam to touch any tender part of toe, 25c a pair.

Our line of Hosiery is the best to be had in this country, both for ladies, misses and children. We carry Lord & Taylor lines in all goods.

## Wash Goods.

2500 yards Gingeam, A. F. C and Toil du Noid per yard 12 1-2c  
1000 yards Cheviots and Ginghams go on sale at ..... 10c  
1500 yards Novelty and fancy Wash materials, the newest out ..... 25c

500 yards Galatia Cloth, all shades and stripes just the thing for suits for the boys and girls.

2000 yards Percales, light and dark grounds ..... 12 1-2c

Seersuckers and Linens ..... 10c to 12 1-2c

Every shade of Linen, both in solid color and stripes ..... 25c to 50c per yard.

## White Goods, Laces and Embroideries.

32-inch Linons both sheer and heavy, the best values to be had at 25c, 29c, 35c, 50c.

10-4 Linen Sheetings, value \$1.00, also \$1.25 and \$1.50 values.

Flaxon, Dimities, India Linon Waistings and Checks 10c per yd. up to 50c Everything you can ask for in these lines.

## Muslin Underwear.

A beautiful line of fresh new goods in muslin underwear on sale at bargain prices.

WE GIVE S. & H. STAMPS.

## Suits.

Don't pass us by when looking for Suits for any and all occasions. We will show you some beautiful things for less money than you can find elsewhere. Don't take our word but come and see us. New goods received every day.

Silk Suits ..... \$12.50 to \$37.50

Wash Suits ..... 10.00 to 15.00

Wool Suits ..... 25.00 30.00 and 40.00

Silk Coats ..... \$8.75 up

Cloth Coats ..... \$5.75 to 12.50

New line of Skirts, all prices ..... \$4.95 to 16.50

## To Close out at Bargain Prices. Come at Once.

Silk Petticoats, all colors, \$3.75 to 12.50

Wash waists in tailor made and

Lingerie, ..... \$1.00 up

# CLIFTON B. ROSS.

## SOCIETY

The ladies of the Baptist church will have an "Exchange" Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

### Lecture-Recital.

The Ladies' Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church South, will present for the first time to a Winchester audience the Kentucky Wesleyan Lecture Recital Male Quartet Company at the courthouse, Tuesday evening, April 6.

### The Girls' Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet with

## DON'T FAIL TO SEE US

Judging from the tremendous sales we have had the past two weeks on **Seed Potatoes** and **Garden Seeds** we know we are cheaper than anyone. Compare prices and quality and see for yourself that we can save you money.

As we have warned you before, don't be misled by cheaper and inferior grades.

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## Bracelets, Necklaces and Shirtwaist Rings.

The greatest care has been taken in the selection of our line of Bracelets, Necklaces and Shirtwaist Rings for this season.

We have much that is new and exclusive in these lines and we hope for your particular attention to them.

## C. H. BOWEN, Jeweler and Optician.

the Methodist church, South, will have a candy and aporn sale on Saturday, beginning at 9 o'clock, in the Lindsey building.

Mrs. O. G. Hadden will be hostess for the Euchre Club, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. O. G. Hadden and Miss Nancy Stevenson will entertain at Forty-two, Thursday evening.

The ladies of the St. Joseph Catholic church will have on sale in the Dineill building (formerly occupied by The Winchester Paint and Wallpaper Company) in the Opera House Block, a splendid assortment of fancy work, candies, cakes and other desirable articles, on Wednesday and Thursday, April 7 and 8. Lunch will be served each day. Everybody invited.

PERSONALS.

Miss Annie Boyle, of Paris, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. H. McDonald, this week.

Mrs. H. H. McDonald was in Paris last Friday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Martin and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Warren, Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Riggs and children spent from Saturday until Monday with her uncle, Mr. James S. Warren and family, at Ruckerville.

The infant child of Mr. Prewitt Crews has been quite ill, but is now improving.

The many friends of Mrs. M. E. Patton are glad to know that she is

improving, after a protracted illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Little returned Sunday from a visit to friends in Maysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Denny and Master Buster Denny spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson.

Mrs. R. B. Hunter and children left Thursday for Danville, to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. June Hunter.

Mr. Fred Brutsche, of Cincinnati, was in town Wednesday, on business.

Mrs. C. W. Burt, of Lexington, was a guest here, Wednesday.

Mr. Allan Zaring, of Richmond, was in town, Wednesday.

Mr. John Peters, of Owingsville, was in town Wednesday for a short while.

Mr. Kitzelman, of Philadelphia, was here W. due-day, on business.

Mrs. Louis D. Hagan went to Paris Wednesday for a short visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Prewitt Harris have moved to the Pierpont cottage, on College street.

Mrs. James Benton and Miss Sara Goodloe Benton were in Lexington, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Starling Tracy were in Lexington, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lida Richardson has returned from a visit to her mother, in Lexington.

Messrs. C. V. Bridwell and T. R. Bright are in Ford, arranging for a new exchange, which will be built there in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis have returned to their home in Paris,

after a visit with relatives here. Mr. George G. Hall, of Louisville, is here, on business.

Mrs. Love Scott, of Avon, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Stroud.

Mr. H. C. Thompson spent Wednesday in Lexington.

Miss Carrie Morgan Graves, of Pine Grove, has been spending the week with Mrs. William P. French.

Mr. Harvey Rogers continues critically ill.

Mrs. Scott Renick returned from Martinsville, Ind., on Wednesday, where she has been for her health.

Mr. Phelps Renick is quite ill in Murfreesboro, Tenn., with appendicitis.

Mrs. Laban Cockrell spent Wednesday in Mt. Sterling, the guest of friends.

Mr. J. W. Chambers was in Mt. Wednesday, on business.

Mrs. Georgia Green was the guest of friends in Mt. Sterling, Wednesday.

Mrs. John M. Jenkins spent Wednesday with friends in Mt. Sterling.

Mr. Bruce Reynolds, of Lexington, was in town, Wednesday.

Mr. James Jones left Wednesday afternoon for Louisville.

Mr. Tom Allen returned home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Skain, of Lexington, was here on business, Wednesday.

Miss Hettye C. Talbot has returned from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Bratzelton, of Alabama.

Dr. R. L. Willis, of Lexington, was in town Wednesday, on business.

Miss Sue Buckner is the guest of Miss Mary Neely, of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and Mrs. Ogden Crutcher spent Thursday in Lexington.

Old Heads, Young Shoulders. Our children are growing more independent. It is not the fault of the parents nor of the children; we are not careless, and they are not ungrateful. The conditions of life are responsible for the modern "youth." — Familien Zeitung, Vienna.

Where Salmon Thrives. Chinook salmon, introduced to New Zealand waters from the United States, grow about five times the size they attain in their native haunts.

**Jay Taylor's**  
**April the Tenth.**



EASTER IS RIGHT ON TOP  
of us. So if you intend any building or improving which you want finished by that time, better get at it. You can get all the CEMENT, LIME, SAND and other building materials right here. Whether your plans are large or small we stand ready to help you out with promptest delivery and fairest treatment.

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**J. R. MARTIN**  
COAL AND SUPPLY COMPANY

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## TO CONNECT WINCHESTER WITH KENTUCKY RIVER

(Continued from page one).

of our city and county will be given the consideration it deserves is best shown when it becomes known that the following dispatch was received about noon from Washington:

"Entire Kentucky delegation pledged to urge passage of Winchester's canal bill. Send official committee on tonight."

### Committee to Leave Tonight.

In compliance with this request it has been arranged that a committee of three to be appointed jointly by the Mayor, County Judge and President of the Commercial Club late this afternoon in order that they may start for Washington on the 9:25 p.m. C. & O. train and appear before the proper Congressional Committee Friday. Of course, this great coup will excite the jealousy of our neighbors, but by this time they should wake up to a realization of the fact that whenever Winchester goes after anything good in a united effort that we always win, so just watch us spread and grow, and in the language of the Scriptures "Go Thou and Do Likewise."

## APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup>

### NEW BILL OF LADING OPERATIVE THURSDAY

Goes Into Effect on Louisville and Nashville Railroad April First.

Beginning April 1, the standard bill of lading of which so much has been said during the last six months will go into effect on the Louisville and Nashville. The new bill of lading is expected to eliminate many perplexing propositions which have always bothered the shippers and the railroads in the past.

All business firms who have been using the old bill of lading and at the present time have a supply of them on hand will be allowed to use them if they are stamped "Subject to the terms of the standard bill of lading." A brief description of the bill of lading which goes into effect Thursday is as follows:

### Features of New Bill.

1. One form for use in connection with what are termed "straight" consignments, consisting of (1) Shipping Order, (2) Bill of Lading and (3) Memorandum Acknowledgment (all to be printed on white paper.)

2. One form for "order" shipments consisting of the (1) Shipping Order (to be printed on blue paper), (2) "Order" Revised Standard Bill of Lading (to be printed on yellow paper), and (3) Memorandum Acknowledgment (to be printed on blue paper). This form shall be used only for order consignments; it will not be permissible to accept order-only shipments on straight bills of lading.

The following notice has been sent out to the shippers of this city by the management of the Louisville and Nashville railroad in regard to the new bill of lading:

### General Notice.

Effective April 1, 1909, the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company will adopt the standard bill of lading, on and after which date the shipper may have the option of shipping property either subject to the terms and conditions of the standard bill of lading, or under the liability imposed upon common carriers by the common law and the Federal and State Statutes applicable thereto—i.e., if the shipper elects to ship under the terms and conditions of the standard bill of lading and shipping order, the rates provided in the respective classifications and tariffs will apply. If the shipper does not sign the shipping order, the property so carried will be at the carrier's liability, limited only as provided by law, but subject to the terms and conditions of the standard bill of lading insofar as they are not inconsistent with such common carrier's liability.

Those who wish to secure the new bill of lading may get them by applying to the railroad offices mentioned.

### Old, But Wise Advice.

At the beginning of the task and at the end take thy fill, but be saving in the middle, for at the bottom saving comes too late. Let the price fixed with a friend be sufficient, and even dealing with a brother call in witnesses, but laughingly.—Hesiod.

### Heart and Brain.

The heart that husbands a desire to "get even" with imaginary enemies is the haunt of unhappiness; and the brain that strives to conceive a means of retaliation for a fancied wrong is the abode of misery.—Sunday Magazine.

**Soak Lamp Wicks in Vinegar.**  
Soaking lamp wicks in vinegar 24 hours before placing in lamp insures a clear flame.

## PLANS TO GET PURE SEED CORN FOR STATE

Commissioner Rankin Unfolds His Scheme—School Boys Interested.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 1.—In order to awaken interest in farming among the schoolboys of Kentucky and also supply every county in the State with the best grade of seed corn, M. C. Rankin, Commissioner of Agriculture, has devised a plan which he thinks will accomplish what he desires. He will send out a bushel of Boone county white seed corn, pure bred and of the best quality, to each of ten counties, the corn to be distributed to the schoolboys. The ten counties were selected by Prof. J. G. Crabbe, Superintendent of Public Instruction. The corn will be planted by the schoolboys, and the result of their farming will be exhibited at the county farmers' institute, where prizes will be offered for the best corn grown for the samples.

The corn from these ten counties will be returned to the Commissioner of Agriculture and it is expected that at least thirty bushels will be gathered from the ten that are planted. The next year thirty bushels will be sent out and the same programme followed. In this way the entire 119 counties in the State can be supplied with the corn, and not only can the farmers get seed corn in this way, but the boys of the State can be interested in agriculture and perhaps be led to stay on the farms instead of going to the cities to live.

The counties selected by Prof. Crabbe are Pulaski, Christian, Graves, Muhlenberg, Hart, Caldwell, Fleming, Johnson, Shelby and Warren. Each of these counties will receive a bushel of corn and the school teachers have promised to see that the corn is distributed to boys who will plant it. In explaining the plan Mr. Rankin said today:

"Realizing the great importance of the teaching of the elements of agriculture and real object lessons in our schools, I offer this plan to the citizens of Kentucky and show my sincerity and desire to help by starting this movement, which, I predict, will be a source of increased revenue into the pockets of the farmers and the laying of the foundation stone in many farmers' sons successful life in agriculture.

"Knowing that I must have the co-operation of the school authorities to forward this movement, I will ask the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to select the counties in Kentucky, covering all the different sections of the State, that are progressive and will help in this movement. Then I will ask the county school superintendent to select one district in his county which is the most progressive, and for him to accompany the representative of the agricultural department at Frankfort to this school district and enlist the school trustee of that district in the work. These three persons to go to that school and make the following offer:

"The agriculture department representative will take a bushel of pure-bred, improved seed corn and give to the pupils that signify their intention of planting the corn, cultivating it, and show ten ears of this corn harvested from this planting at the county farmers' institute to be held in that county at a place and time designated by the Commissioner of Agriculture and under his supervision. For this purpose the Commissioner of Agriculture appropriates \$100 from the money appropriated by the State for the Bureau of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics for the ten schools selected, \$10 being given to each school, to be divided as follows: For the best ten ears of corn grown from this distribution a prize of \$4 will be given; for the second best a prize of \$3; for the third best \$2 and for the fourth best \$1.

"The judges of the contest will be selected by the county institute, being three in number, and shall not be related in any way to any child growing and exhibiting this corn. The corn shown becomes the property of the agricultural department of the State, to be distributed the following year in similar manner as above.

"If this plan proves satisfactory and the school authorities and parents of the schools will take hold of this proposition in the right way in three years every school district in the State will be supplied with pure-bred seed corn as a result of this movement."

### Our Wives.

One of the most worthless men in Atchison has a wife who thinks he is simply grand. When a woman loves a man, she loves him, and that is all there is to it; it makes no difference how shiftless or worthy he may be. Napoleon, one of the few really great men the world has produced, had two wives, and both of them were unfaithful to him.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

## THE WINCHESTER NEWS.



WILLIE WHITLA, HIS FATHER AND THEIR HOME.

The kidnapping of Willie Whitla of Sharon, Pa., was the most sensational episode of its kind next to the Charley Ross case that ever occurred in this country. The child is heir to millions, and his father readily agreed to the demands of the kidnappers and paid \$10,000 in cash for the return of the lad. Charley Ross, who was stolen in 1874, was never heard of after he disappeared from his home in Germantown, Pa.

### CONDENSED STATEMENT

—OF—

THE WINCHESTER BANK,

Of Winchester, Ky.,

At the Close of Business, March 31,

1909.

### Liabilities.

Capital Stock .....	\$100,000.00
Undivided profits .....	\$128,761.27
Surplus fund .....	21,357.60
Taxes paid and to be paid .....	17,870.54-167,989.41
Deposits .....	636,651.99
Total .....	\$904,641.40

### Resources.

Loans and discounts .....	\$591,307.38
Due from banks .....	\$261,970.50
Cash and cash items .....	34,990.13-296,960.63
Overdrafts .....	10,663.31
United States bonds .....	1,000.00
Other stocks and bonds .....	2,837.50
Furniture and fixtures .....	1,778.79
Suspense .....	93.79
Total .....	\$904,641.40

I, W. R. Sphar, cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. R. SPHAR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by W. R. Sphar, this the 31st day of March, 1909.

My Commission expires February 9th, 1910.

ELIZABETH D. FRENCH,  
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

N. H. WITHERSPOON,  
JAS. W. HUNT,  
J. W. JOHNSON,

Directors.

### ECZEMA A GERM DISEASE.

Myriads of Microscopic Animals Infect the Skin of the Sufferer.

When the skin of an eczema sufferer itches and burns in untold agony, do you know what is going on within the pores of that skin?

Myriads of microscopic animals are gnawing at the flesh, breaking down the fine cells and causing festers thick scales and that terrible itch. The germs multiply faster than Nature can throw them off.

Now, there is only one way to get rid of these germs—they must be killed in their lodging places. Musting the stomach or trying to cure the blood will not, of course, kill the germs, and that is why all the blood remedies fail in eczema; that is also why salves which do not penetrate can do no permanent good.

Ordinary oil of wintergreen properly compounded in liquid form will penetrate the pores of the skin and kill the eczema germs. If properly mixed with thymol, glycerine and other ingredients (as in D. D. Prescription) this wash will build up the tissue of the skin and promote its healthy growth, giving Nature a chance, while killing the germs faster than they can multiply.

Phillips Drug Co., of this city, carries D. D. Prescription, also D. D. Soap in stock.

### Appreciation.

If courtesy were expensive more people might be induced to regard it as a good thing.

### Unconscious Socialism.

It is one of the most notorious tendencies of human nature to believe that when you have made use of other people's property for a sufficiently long period you are absolutely entitled to it to the exclusion of the real owner.—Estate Gazette.

### DYE EXPLAINS

Governor Then Decides to Drop Probe of Delaware Home.

Columbus, O., April 1.—It was announced following a conference between Governor Harmon and Superintendent Dye of the state industrial school for girls that there probably would be no investigation by the executive as a result of two girl residents being brought to a local home for medical treatment. The governor was satisfied with explanations made by the superintendent. Prosecutions against men accused by the girls may be made in Delaware county, where the home is located. The governor was informed that the institution, owing to the large number of cases taken up under the new juvenile court act, was now crowded to double its anticipated capacity.

### Thinks Victim Ohio Man.

Columbus, O., April 1.—T. W. McGovern, secretary of the Lilley Shoe company of Columbus, said he feared the body found along the railroad tracks at Bloomington, Ind., might be that of a traveling salesman employed by the firm, W. H. Reichel, whose home is in Columbus. Mr. Reichel wrote the firm Sunday from Evansville, and is believed to have been in Vincennes Tuesday. Mr. McGovern thinks he might have gone from there to Bloomington.

## AMEND ANTI-TRUST ACT, SAYS HARRIMAN

Railroad Magnate Gives His Ideas of Model Government.

## You Cannot Answer These Questions!

1—Why do you continue bathing your knees and elbows one at a time, when you can stretch out in a full bath temperature to suit you, and can do so every morning if you wish?

2—Why pump and carry water for your kitchen and laundry work when you can have it at hand for the turning of a faucet?

3—Why take chances on drinking germ-filled eastern water when you can get it from a large reservoir filtered through the best filter plant South of the Ohio River?

4—Why have a dry, dismal-looking yard when you can have it filled with green grass and blooming flowers, and can at the same time get rid of the dust in the street?

5—Why suffer other inconveniences when you can have everything for the comfort and health of your family right in the house?

6—Is it not true that the answer is not "lack of money," but lack of economy and enterprise and indifference to getting the most out of life?

C. F. ATTERSALL, Superintendent

WINCHESTER WATER WORKS CO., INCORPORATED.

At corner Maple Street and Lexington Avenue, will tell you all about it. You'll be surprised at how inexpensive these privileges are.

## Electric Current.

We Furnish Electric Current Day and Night for all Domestic Purposes.

We Furnish Current for Motors to Do Your Washing.

Run Your Sewing Machine,  
Run Curling Iron To Curl Your Hair,  
Run Smoothing Iron To Do Your Ironing,  
Run Soldering Iron To Do Your Soldering.

We Furnish Current for All Purposes.

We Sell All Tungsten Lamps for Less Money Than Any Other Plant in Kentucky.

WINCHESTER RAILWAY, LIGHT & ICE CO. INCORPORATED.

TO HAVE YOUR CARRIAGE REPAIRED BY EASTER

YOU HAD BETTER SEND IT TO US AT ONCE.

Then we can give your work the same careful attention as our invaluable rule.

So send us your carriage now in order that we can have it ready and right for you in time.

J. STROTHER SCOTT.

## Citizens National Bank.

Paid up Capital \$100,000.

Surplus \$42,000.

### WE SOLICIT YOUR BUSINESS.

Will give you courteous treatment and attend promptly and carefully to all business entrusted to us.

J. D. Simpson, Pres.

A. H. Hampton, Cashier.

T. F. Phillips V. Pres.

J. W. Poynter, Ass't Cashier

Old Thoughts May Be New.

A thought is often original, though you have uttered it a hundred times. It has come to you over a new route by an express train of associations.

Holmes.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Buckle's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well."

Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25¢ at Phillips Drug Store.

Reducing Weight.

## DECLARES HE IS BANKRUPT

Cleveland Priest Files Voluntary Petition.

### DEBTS DOUBLE ASSETS

Rev. Father McMahon Was Director of Fidelity Funding Company and Indorser of Many of Its Notes—Impossible to State His Liabilities in Connection With Affairs of P. J. Kieran, Owing to Ramifications Through Two Sets of Books.

Cleveland, O., April 1.—Rev. Father William McMahon filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy before Judge Taylor in the United States district court, giving his liabilities at \$1,500,000 and assets at \$75,000.

His insolvency is stated to have grown out of the failure of the Fidelity Funding company of New York, which was promoted by P. J. Kieran. Rev. McMahon is said to have been a director of the company and indorsed many of its notes.

### ACCOUNTS ARE MIXED

Receiver Is Busy Untangling Affairs of Fidelity Funding Company.

New York, April 1.—From information gathered in circles familiar with affairs of the Fidelity Funding company and P. J. Kieran, it was learned that the direct liability of Rev. Father McMahon through the failure of the Fidelity Funding company, as appeared on the face of the accounts, was about \$20,000.

It was stated, however, that until there had been a complete audit and comparison of the company's books and the private accounts of P. J. Kieran, for whom a receiver in bankruptcy had been named, it would be impossible to ascertain the extent of Father McMahon's obligations. Even then, it was said, it was doubtful if the exact status of the account could be learned, as the transactions were involved and hard to trace in their ramifications through the two sets of books.

### TAFT ACCEPTS BID

President Will Attend National Turn-fest at Cincinnati in June.

Cincinnati, O., April 1.—August Herrmann, chairman of the turnfest committee of the North Cincinnati Turner society, announced that the committee has received assurances from President Taft that he will attend the national turnfest, to be held in this city in June.

The plans for the big fest have been completed. It is expected that from 2,500 to 3,000 active turners from all parts of this country and from Germany will be there. They will be taken care of at a military camp to be established in the Carthage fair grounds.

### Fire Destroys River Town.

Calif., April 1.—The town of Birds Point, Mo., which was nearly destroyed by the cutting of the Mississippi river bank a few months ago, was wiped out by fire. The hotel, several store buildings and a number of residences were destroyed.

### FLIGHT A FIZZLE

Chicago Aeronaut's Experiments Delayed by Broken Carburetor.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., April 1.—The first trial of J. F. Scott of Chicago to fly his aeroplane here was a failure, owing to a broken carburetor. The huge machine was completely overhauled and tested and, finding all adjustments perfect, Professor Scott decided to put the car to a practical test. The engine was started and the 19-foot propeller made 100 revolutions per minute as the car sped over the alfalfa field. Suddenly the carburetor gave out and the car was stopped before the planes had caught the wind fairly.

### Cincinnati Team Wins.

Cincinnati, O., April 1.—In a game featured by the participation in it of "Cap" Anson and Clark Griffith on opposing teams, the Cincinnati National league team won from Anson's semi-professionals of Chicago in easy style. Score: Cincinnati, 15, 21; Anson's, 4, 7, 3.

### WATCH THE SUSPECTS

Naples Will Try to Protect Roosevelt During Visit.

Naples, April 1.—The Naples authorities are taking extraordinary precautions to insure the safety of ex-President Roosevelt during his short visit to this city. They are not only keeping a close watch on the Italians who have returned from the United States or who have relatives there, but also on the foreigners of different nationalities who are now here.

### Turfman-Journalist Dies.

Cincinnati, O., April 1.—Kirby Snow, known in this city and throughout the south, is dead. For several years he had engaged in newspaper work, but kept up his interest in turf matters, and for the last ten years presided over the press gallery at Lexington track. He was born at Walton, Ky., 54 years ago.

## WAR ON BILLBOARDS

Cincinnati Conducting One of the Most Successful Fights.

### SIZE OF BOARDS LIMITED.

Why Municipal Regulation of Outdoor Advertising Is Advocated—How Illustrations Are Restricted—Value of Crusade's Effective Methods.

From many cities in various parts of the United States the American Civic association has received recent reports telling of the progress of the campaign against obnoxious billboards. This work of the American Civic association and affiliated organizations has resulted in a tremendous public sentiment against objectionable outdoor advertising, and the progress is in spite of the increased energy of the advertising interests.

One of the most successful campaigns against the offensive billboards is that in Cincinnati, where the Business Men's club is seeking a reasonable control of the billboards. One of the most active in the movement is Murray Shipley, prominent manufacturer and a member of the executive board of the American Civic association.

Two restrictive measures have been proposed—one now pending before the Cincinnati councils for a proper regulation of billboards and the other to be introduced in the Ohio legislature. In the new municipal building code it is proposed that no billboard shall be erected without a permit; that a fee of \$10 shall be paid for a board 7 by 10 feet, with \$5 for each additional seven linear feet or fraction thereof; that billboards of wood shall not exceed two feet in height, that all in excess of two feet shall be of metal and that no board shall exceed 500 square feet in area.

By the terms of the proposed state measure it is provided to have municipal regulation of billboards, with power to license the erection of advertising boards. This bill will exclude for advertising purposes parks and the residence parts of cities in which sections a majority of qualified voters favor prohibition of billboards. It proposes to limit billboards to 7 by 10 feet, not less than twenty-five feet from the street, and provides that each board shall have independent supports. Illustrations depicting or describing in words or characters, or both, the commission of any crime or misdemeanor are forbidden, as are obscene and immoral advertisements.

Mr. Shipley, who advocates billboard regulation, said:

We must not be ashamed to stand up boldly for everything which is beautiful, whether it is a great work of art or a beautiful hillside which is threatened with billboard desecration, and let us insist that we are entitled to look and see the advertising as it is intended to be seen, distinguished from wooden cows or half-made billboards. Aside from this one all sufficient reason, there are many other reasons why billboards should be under reasonable control.

First, upon the aesthetic ground we are entitled to have our sense of right not offended. Signs are more than mere means of hearing or smell. Billboards detract from the value of adjacent property. Hear this testimony from Nathaniel Henchman Davis, president of the Central Trust and Safe Deposit company: "One of the illustrated cards you inclose happens to be directly in point as illustrating the effect of billboards on property owners caused by the expensive and unsightly billboards, for it is affecting the rental value of property we control situated in that neighborhood."

After exhaustive inquiry into the subject the Cincinnati Business Men's club received a report from its special committee, to which was appended an extensive plan of campaign against billboards and billboard advertising. In a general way education appeals to advertisers, and requests for the cooperation of real estate owners have been the main features of the campaign begun eighteen months ago.

As an example of the success, letters were sent to billboard advertisers, who were asked if they would not agree, with others, to abandon the boards, and sixty advertisers so agreed. The advertising thus terminated affected 300 boards.

Illustrated postcards, showing some especially offensive boards, were mailed to club members, and one of the results was that several property owners voluntarily agreed to remove the objectionable boards from their property.

In the campaign for a state measure the co-operation of civic associations of other municipalities of Ohio was solicited, and most of the 130 such organizations promised support.

J. W. Rogers, superintendent of billboards, forcibly removed 1,000 feet of billboards twelve feet high standing on Inwood park property after repeated notice to the billboard owners.

A prominent builder showed his sympathy with the crusade by notifying billboard owners that he would not renew contracts. The Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra association decided to encourage the fight against boards to advertise its concerts.

In the campaign for the restriction of billboards in the new building code a significant case of reduction of values because of billboard intrusion was shown. The Stirling property in Gilbert avenue was purchased for \$7,000, but when sold, after a vast spread of signs had been erected facing it, only \$4,000 could be obtained.

When Mr. Shipley conducted the crusade for municipal regulation of billboards, leading to the councilmanic hearing, dozens of prominent men of Cincinnati openly urged the restriction of billboards, the names of indorsers as published requiring almost a column of the Cincinnati newspapers.



## APRIL

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## HORSE AND JACK Cards and Folders

PRINTED AT THIS OFFICE.

First-Class Work,  
Reasonable Prices.

The Columns of THE NEWS reaches nearly every home in county.

Advertise and reach your customers.

The Winchester News Co.  
Incorporated.

## ADVERTISE IN THE NEWS.

### ALL MEN SUBJECT TO ERROR.

A man must have a great deal of vanity who believes, and a good deal of boldness who affirms, that all the doctrines he holds are true, and all he rejects are false.—Benjamin Franklin.

### NEAR DEATH IN BIG POND.

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Lungs, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough and all Bronchial affections. 50¢ and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Phillips Drug Company.

### HAVE USE FOR OLD PILING.

There has been secured by a New York state pulp company an option on 600,000 cords of sunken pine piling now lying submerged in the Rideau river and lakes back of Kingston, Ontario, Canada. The piling was sunk about 80 years ago when the Rideau river was a center of commercial activity. The piling will be converted by a chemical process into the finest grades of stationery.

### THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM.

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had, for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him." For Eruptions, Eczema Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50¢. Guaranteed by Phillips Drug Company.



## Time For More Printing

Minute Type, the Largest Stock and the Most Skilled Workmen Money can obtain.

COULD YOU ASK FOR MORE?

We are vain enough to believe that we have a line of samples that will eclipse anything of its kind in this section of Kentucky, and nothing gives us more pleasure than to exhibit our production to the users of printers' ink. We would like to call and "show you" that we can "deliver the goods."

The

## WINCHESTER NEWS COMPANY,

INCORPORATED

Printers of Anything.

S. Main St.

New Phone 91.

### GARAGE.

Bring me your automobile

for repair or storage. I have an up-to-date Garage with a nice Waiting Room for Ladies.

Chas. Hagan,

Winchester, Ky.

Corner of Broadway and Highland.

### STROSSMAN & RATLIFF

REAL ESTATE  
AND INSURANCE.

See Us For Bargains.

### Conkright Transfer and Ice Co.

Crating, Handling and Hauling Furniture, Planes, Etc., a Specialty.

No. 19 North Main Street. Both Phones

### New York's Consumption of Tea.

New Yorkers drink tea as well as other things, and it is estimated that one pound of the herb is consumed by each inhabitant yearly.

Limit of Time Without Food.  
When the body of a starving animal including man, loses two-fifths of its substance, the inevitable result is death.

## RESULT OF THE BOTTLE

### ON OLD SOLDIER

John Goodall, of the Soldiers' Home, Grand Rapids, Mich., firmly believes that he owes his happiness and good health to the bottle and that this bottle is a happy end to all his former troubles. He made a statement which is given word for word: "I wish to let those suffering with rheumatism know what Rheumaline has done for me, i have had rheumatism for about six years and have tried a number of rheumatic remedies without getting any benefit. I am happy to say that one bottle of Rheumaline has done me more good than any medicine I have ever taken. I am entirely free from pain and I can recommend it to any one suffering with rheumatism." Six years of suffering ended with one bottle. Think of it. If it can kill rheumatism of 6 years' standing in a man whose rheumatism has undoubtedly been brought about by years of severe exposure, what can it do for you? Use reason. Don't allow prejudice to overcome your better judgment. Rheumaline cures rheumatism, humpback, sciatica, neuralgia, gout and kidney, liver, bladder, stomach, and blood troubles, caused by uric acid. Rheumaline Capsules stop pain immediately and Rheumaline Tablets are the finest thing for constipation sold today. The three form the Rheumaline Treatment and may be procured only at the Phillips Drug Company, who has the sole agency here. Get Rheumaline. It removes the cause,

# NOW IS THE TIME TO SUPPLY YOURSELF WITH ENAMEL WARE

We have a beautiful assortment of nice large pieces of **ONYX ENAMEL WARE** that we are offering for **FRIDAY** and **SATURDAY** at the Special Low Price of

**25 cts. For Choice.**

You had better come early before the assortment is broken as they will not last long at this price.

## GRUBBS AND BENTON

### AUDITORIUM ANNOUNCEMENT 1500 POUND CHUNK OF BORNITE ORE

All is Ready For the Opening of Show and Garden Saturday Evening.

The Winchester Auditorium summer garden and motion picture theatre will open to the public on Saturday, April 3rd, 1909, at 7 o'clock p. m. The summer garden will be open every day from that date from 7 o'clock a. m. to 10 o'clock p. m. except Sundays. Admissions to the garden free with good music all the time. We have an up-to-date soda fountain and will serve all kinds of soft drinks and ices at popular prices. We want you to come to the Auditorium and make that your headquarters; have your friends meet you there. The motion picture theatre will open every afternoon from 3 o'clock p. m. to 5:30 p. m.; night from 7:30 p. m. to 10 p. m., except Sundays. Admission, 5 cents, except on Saturday nights when we will run 3000 feet of film when the admissions will be 10 cents. We want every lady, gentleman and child to realize that they have a public place in Winchester to come to and feel at home. Our picture machine is the best that can be bought. We will change our pictures every day, which will be the best that can be had, with illustrated songs and music. Come, we assure you kind and polite treatment. We are sure we will please you.

D. B. SCOBEE, Mgr.

#### COOPER—REEVES.

Mr. J. W. Cooper and Miss Gloriene Reeves were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Reeves in the county Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock by the Rev. Richard French.

#### CLARK CIRCUIT COURT

Jerry Taylor Plaintiff

vs. Notice

Burl Turner,  
J. A. Hughes,  
Shirley Hadden,  
W. H. Noleini,  
Hardman & Royee and  
Winchester Bank Defendants.

The above parties to this action and T. L. Numan and Hadden & Tobin are notified that I as Master Commissioner of the Clark Circuit Court will at my office in Winchester, Kentucky, beginning on April 3rd, 1909, hear evidence as to the indebtedness of the firm of Taylor and Turner, as of April 3rd, 1907, preferences of any assets of said firm at said time the relative rights of the parties to said assets, with the purpose of settling said partnership. I will continue to hear evidence as to said questions till April 17th, 1909.

LEELAND HATHAWAY,  
M. C. C. C. C.

Tear me out of this paper: put me in your watch pocket. I will remind you early in the morning, and for a trifle, your home, your business and your income will be protected. Do you know when your present policy expires? V. W. BUSH & COMPANY want your business. Get one of our good old companies between you and fire, and you will rest easy. Office No. 65 Main Street. Telephone No. 145.

Almost Pure Copper is to be Brought From Alaska to the Exposition.



JAMES J. HILL.  
Railroad Magnate Who Talked Tariff With Speaker Cannon.

of the provision for an inheritance tax. It is said that the ways and means committee may report an amendment which will provide for a tax on all dividends from stocks and bonds. This has been proposed as a means for raising the \$10,000,000 which it is estimated the Payne bill would provide through the tax on tea and lumber.

The ways and means committee further considered the amendments which it will offer to the bill. The tariff commission committee met several members of the committee to discuss the proposition which they advocate. James J. Hill, the railroad magnate, called on Speaker Cannon and informally discussed the tariff with him and with members of the tariff framing committee and Representative Tawney of Minnesota. Mr. Hill is understood to be in favor of repealing the duty on lumber, but would not express himself for publication.

It is now believed a rule will be brought in Monday to provide for the consideration of the Payne bill under the five-minute rule until the following Saturday, when it will be voted upon.

#### PICK BILL TO PIECES

Many Representatives Discuss Payne Tariff Schedules.

Washington, April 1.—The Payne tariff bill again was picked to pieces in the house of representatives. There were no prolonged speeches, and in consequence many were afforded an opportunity to express their views. Lumber, coffee, wood pulp and print paper, tobacco, coal, zinc and the bill were generally discussed.

The arguments on lumber came from the south through Mr. Pujo of Louisiana and Mr. Thomas of North Carolina, who did not want the protection afforded the lumber industry disturbed. There was an interesting exposition of the wood pulp question by Mr. Mann of Illinois, who defended the proposed reduction of the duty on that product.

Mr. Larrigan, the Porto Rican commissioner, made an exhaustive plea for a tax of 5 cents a pound on coffee from that colony. Others who spoke were Messrs. Morgan of Missouri, Brantley of Georgia, Douglas of Ohio, Rothermel of Pennsylvania, Lovering of Massachusetts, Sulzer of New York, Mondel of Wyoming and Gries of Pennsylvania.

#### Universal Patent Costly.

To secure a patent in each of the 64 countries issuing them would cost an inventor \$15,000, exclusive of the attorneys' fees.

#### Right!

Does it do any good to worry? It does. It gives the doctor a chance to earn the price of a meal ticket, the maker of dyspepsia dope a chance to work off his truck upon your system, and eventually it gives the grave-digger a job. Of course it pays to worry.—Los Angeles Express.

#### Extreme Carefulness.

"Ribson is the most careful man I ever met," "Indeed!" "Yes. The evening he was married he requested his best man to carry the ring, and then asked him for a receipt for it."

#### Have Equality in Rank.

In the Turkish navy the crew and officers of a warship form a regiment, and the officers hold the same rank as on land. The captain is Lieutenant colonel, and so on.

## STANDPATTERS YIELD A POINT

Make Concessions to Opponents of "Gag" Rule.

## TO TAX ALL DIVIDENDS

Reported That Ways and Means Committee Will Recommend Amendment Calculated to Raise Revenue Originally Intended to Come From Tax on Tea and Lumber—James J. Hill Holds Conference With Cannon and Other Leaders on Tariff.

Washington, April 1.—A compromise is to be agreed to by the various factions on the Republican side of the house regarding the consideration of the Payne tariff bill, and it is confidently expected that the measure will be voted upon on April 10.

There was a noticeable disposition on the part of the "stand-patters," following their conference with President Taft, to accede to the wishes of those who have opposed any "gag" rule which would prevent a vote on certain important schedules. The ways and means committee has agreed to submit amendments to the bill which will keep tea on the free list, strike out the countervailing duty on coffee and make the rate on barley 25 cents a bushel.

The Republican members of the Michigan, Iowa and Wisconsin delegations held conferences, each delegation deciding upon the schedules on which they demand that the special rule shall provide for a vote. Most of the members of these delegations desire an increased tax on beer and the lowering of the duties on gloves and hose. Some wish the repeal

## FIFTEEN BONDS ARE NOW DUE

County Judge Evans Prepared to Still Further Reduce Indebtedness of the County.

At the meeting of the Clark Fiscal Court last week bonds amounting to \$16,000 and coupons amounting to \$4,680 were paid and destroyed.

These were six per cent bonds and were issued in 1885. Fifteen more of the same date and for the same purpose fell due Thursday of this week and will be paid by County Judge Evans as soon as they are presented.

The county has still \$64,000 4 percent bonds now out. They were issued when the county took over all the turnpikes in the county and will fall due as follows: \$7,000 in 1917; \$7,000 in 1918; \$10,000 in 1925; \$10,000 in 1926; \$10,000 in 1927; \$10,000 in 1928 and \$10,000 in 1929.

## CHAPTER OF EASTERN STARS

Organized in Winchester Wednesday. Mrs. O. E. Grubbs, Worthy Matron.

A large assembly of Master Masons and their lady friends met in the new fraternity building Wednesday afternoon and organized and elected officers for the subordinate chapter of the order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Ollie E. Grubbs was chosen Worthy Matron and Dr. G. F. Clark Worthy Patron. There were fifty-three charter applicants and Mr. F. M. Harris, through whose efforts the chapter was organized, is very much elated over the success of his efforts.

The Grand Chapter officers will institute the chapter and set them to work on Thursday, April 8th, at 2 p. m.

## BROUGHT BODY HOME FROM NEW MEXICO

Robert Bradley, Who Died From Tuberculosis, Will Be Buried Friday.

The remains of Robert Bradley, who died last Wednesday at Albuquerque, New Mexico, arrived here on the noon train Thursday and will be buried in the Winchester cemetery Friday at eleven o'clock. Mr. Bradley has been living in New Mexico for a number of years. He contracted tuberculosis about a year ago and has been ill since. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Daisy Ragland, father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradley of this county, and a brother, Sam, of Indiana, and two sisters, Mrs. Simpson Baker, of Lexington, and Mrs. S. L. Cotterill, of Latonia. The services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Thomas, of the old Baptist church and Rev. J. M. Rash of the Christian church.

## GETS ORDER FOR HIS ROXA COLA

Mr. G. Lee Wainscott Received Congratulating Letter From California.

Mr. G. Lee Wainscott a week or so ago sent out 1000 small sample bottles of Roxa Cola to drug stores and soda fountains throughout this country and Canada. He has received a number of orders so far as the result and today received the following: Mr. G. L. Wainscott, Winchester, Ky.

My Dear Sir:—Your sample Roxa Cola at hand inclosed find \$4.75 for which send via Express one gallon of Roxa Cola. I wish no labels so deduct 25 cents as inclosed slip-deducts. Respectfully,

VISALIA SODA WORKS,

By McDonald, Manager.

Roxa Cola is the best Kola drink I've seen yet and I've seen many and tried many. I know a good thing when I see it and am placing this order very soon after sampling your sample.

C. R. McDONALD.

#### MAY LOSE FINGER.

Charlie Scott, who lives on the McClure pike, had the middle finger of his right hand so severely mashed by getting it caught in a corn sheller Thursday morning that amputation may be necessary.



## SANITAIRE BEDS.

GUARANTEED BY US FOR 10 YEARS.  
Another Car Just Received.

## A NECESSITY FOR A HYGENIC BED ROOM.

Why buy an unknown, unguaranteed bed, when the Sanitaire (guaranteed for 10 years) costs no more—is better finished—better constructed—and more beautiful in design?

The finish is durable—hard as flint—impossible to chip off.

PRICES FROM \$5.00 TO \$25.00.

In a variety of finishes to harmonize with any bed room—in sizes, single, double and the modern twin beds.

Come in—let us show you the beautiful Sanitaire Iron and Brass Beds—the only guaranteed bed on the market.

ON SATURDAY, APRIL 10th, at 2:30 p. m., we are going to give away one of these Sanitaire Beds, there are no strings tied to it, you are not required to make any purchase, please call at our store for particulars.

SEE THE BED IN SHOW WINDOW.

## HENRY H. HALL, FURNITURE UNDERTAKING

#### SELLING ROXA COLA.

Mr. Jack Poynter has accepted a position with Mr. G. L. Wainscott and left Tuesday morning for a weeks trip through the Kentucky mountains selling that popular drink—Roxa Cola.

#### TO CLOSE CONTRACTS FOR RENTING ROOMS.

Joint Trustees of Fraternity Building To Meet Friday Night.

A joint meeting of the trustees of fraternity building will meet Friday night in the County Clerk's office for the purpose of closing some contracts for the rental of office rooms in the new fraternity building. A number of the rooms have already been spoken for and the trustees think it will only be a short time before they are all taken.

#### Grown-Up Children.

It is not only the frivolous whom the spirit of childlessness is just now leading astray. Silliness is the fashion even among the wise. Women especially affect a kind of childish shrewdness in talking of serious subjects. Like children who have the habit of romancing, they lose the sense of reality, and because they never talk exactly as they think they begin to think exactly as they talk—London Spectator.

#### Possibilities or a Moment.

We cannot speak a loyal word and be meanly silent; we cannot kill and not kill in the same moment, but a moment is room wide enough for the loyal and mean desire, for the outburst of murderous thought and the sharp backward stroke of repentance.

—George Eliot.



FOR MEN

**BEACON SHOE**

\$300  
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The price stays down, the quality goes up, while most things—shoes included—are going down in quality and up in price—that's the great difference between

#### Beacon Shoes

and other shoes to-day. Made to the standard of shoes that sell for \$2 and \$3 more but do not give you a cent's worth of better material, workmanship and style. Union made, Goodyear welt, hand-sewed process, uppers in all leathers, shapes are the latest New York styles.

We've got 'em all—can fit you comfortably and in up-to-date style. Sold from maker to wearer by

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## CLASSIFIED COLUMN.

If you want to rent a home—If you want to buy a home—If you want to insure your home—



**FOR SALE.**—Cheap, graphophone, and about 30 records, also large Morning Glory horn. Address N. R. B. this office. 1-16-tf.

**WANTED.**—To buy clean rags. Apply at The News' office. 2-17-tf.

**WIRE FENCE.**—I still build all kinds of wire fence. If in the market for same write or telephone me for prices. JOHN A. TANNER, Winn avenue. Home 'phone 541. 2-16-tf.

**FOR RENT.**—Two houses. N. T. TAYLOR. 2-17-tf.

**FOR SALE.**—Old papers for sale at this office. 2-16-tf.

**WANTED.**—To take orders for making cakes, beaten biscuit, rolls, timbales and rosettes. MISS LUCY COLEMAN BROWNING, 218 College street. Home 'phone 654. 3-11-tmo.

**FOR SALE.**—Eggs from thoroughbred single-comb White Leghorns at 75 cents for 15. H. E. WITT, 109 French avenue. 3-15-tmo.

**JUNK DEALER.**—Chas. Zigman, junk dealer, in old iron and all kinds of old metal. Best buyer in town. Corner Main and Washington street. 3-17-tmo.

**STRAY COLT.**—Strayed into my livery stable, No. 15 West Washington street, a yearling horse colt—bay, long tail and mane. BIRL TURNER. 3-17-tf.

**WANT.**—At once, good reliable boy to learn the printers' trade. Apply to this office. 3-27-tf.

**FOR RENT.**—New 6-room cottage on College street with gas, water and bath room. Good easter. Possession at once. Apply to MRS. MARIA BEAN, 210 College street. 3-23-e.-o.-d.-tf.

**FOUND.**—By Frank Martin, on Main street, long black glove. Owner can have same by calling at Citizens bank. 3-24-3t